

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

Inventors

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Title

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Examiner

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.36(a)

Applicant, by its attorney, hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. 1.36(a) for a onemonth extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed December 7, 2005, up to and including April 7, 2006. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the one-month Petition for Extension of Time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 502431 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to such account.

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